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## BG NEWS BRIEFING

### City issues warning: chemicals in water

Area tap water is currently dangerous to infants, the Bowling Green utilities department announced last Wednesday.

Nitrate levels in the water have risen above accepted levels, according to tests taken last week. Infants younger than six months old are not yet capable of processing the chemical the same way adults do.

Infants who consume nitrate risk serious and potentially fatal illness. Symptoms include shortness of breath and Blue Baby Syndrome, indicated by blueness of the skin.

To prevent these problems, avoid giving infants area tap water — boiling it will not help. Boiling can even make the water more harmful because when the water evaporates, it leaves nitrates behind.

Tests indicate that nitrate is present in area water in a concentration of 10.5 milligrams per liter. Ten milligrams per liter is the maximum accepted concentration.

The city is taking steps to lower nitrate levels, according to the press release.

As stated in a city press release, the following areas use Bowling Green's Water: "Villages of Tontogany, Grand Rapids, Weston, Portage, Haskins, and customers served by the Northwestern Water and Sewer District in the service area bounded on the north by Roachton Road, on the west by Potter Road, on the south by Bays Road, and on the east by Dunbridge Road, including Portage, Rudolph and the Miltonville area."

Check The BG News later this week for a more in-depth report.

### Bush's budget proposes tax cuts and record deficits

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush will send Congress a \$2.23 trillion spending plan today featuring new tax cuts to boost the economy, a conservative tilt to major social programs and record deficits for the next two years — shortfalls that Democrats blame on Bush's tax cuts.

White House budget officials said yesterday the president's tax and spending blueprint, complete with dozens of agency briefings, will roll out as scheduled despite Saturday's space shuttle disaster.

Bush's budget outline for the 2004 fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1, is required by law to be sent to Congress the first Monday in February. The numbers and spending priorities undoubtedly will change somewhat over the next several months as Congress acts on his request.

The Columbia tragedy certainly will prompt added scrutiny to the president's spending proposal for NASA.

# NASA looks for crash cause

By Paul Recer  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — NASA engineers yesterday began assembling a grim jigsaw puzzle, taking precise satellite measurements of where Columbia debris landed to learn why the nation's oldest space shuttle disintegrated just minutes from home.

NASA chief Sean O'Keefe named a former Navy admiral to oversee an independent review of the accident, and said investigators initially would focus on

whether insulation from a phased-out fuel tank caused damage that ultimately doomed the shuttle.

"That's one of the earliest indications. It's one of the areas we're looking at first, early, to make sure that the investigative team is concentrating on that theory," O'Keefe said as he vowed a thorough investigation during a round of appearances on yesterday's talk shows.

The focus for now is whether insulation that broke loose from

a fuel tank during the shuttle Columbia's ascent on Jan. 16 damaged heat-protecting tiles, ultimately dooming the shuttle's return to earth 16 days later.

The manufacturer of the fuel tank disclosed yesterday that NASA used an older version of the tank, which the space agency began phasing out in 2000. NASA's preflight press information stated the shuttle was using one of the newer super-light-weight fuel tanks.

Harry Wadsworth, a

spokesman for Lockheed, the tank maker, said most shuttle launches use the "super-light-weight" tank and the older version is no longer made. Wadsworth said he did not know if there was a difference in how insulation was installed on the two types of tanks.

O'Keefe emphasized that the space agency was being careful not to lock onto any one theory too soon. He vowed to "leave absolutely no stone unturned."

For a second day, searchers

scoured forests and rural areas over 500 square miles of East Texas and western Louisiana for bits of metal, ceramic tiles, computer chips and insulation from the shattered spacecraft. State and federal officials, treating the investigation like a multi-county crime scene, were protecting the debris until it can be catalogued, carefully collected and then trucked to Barksdale Air Force Base in Louisiana.

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## KYOKUSHIN KARATE MIND AND BODY

By Jennifer Bracken  
FEATURES EDITOR

The Student Recreation Center offers a class involving a Japanese form of karate called Kyokushin. The program was incorporated to add something different than the traditional fitness and wellness activities the center already offers. Kyokushin is now in its third year and has almost reached its maximum capacity.

Those at the recreation center want to branch out from the traditional sports programs, according to Brady Gaskins, the assistant director of Programs and Promotions of Recreational sports.

This progressive instruction class is one semester long and requires a special instructor fee.

"There has been a steady turn out for the class through the last couple of years," Gaskins said. "But now the class is close to its max."

Paul Thoresen brought the idea to the recreation center to incorporate the class. Thoresen now holds the instructor position.

"I talked to the Bowling Green Recreation Center about four years ago to start a karate class," he said.

Thoresen has trained in Kyokushin Karate since 1987. Kyokushin is well known internationally but it is not as popular

in America, according to Thoresen.

"I trained with my old Sensei till I moved to Ohio in 1998," Thoresen said. "I was an assistant instructor with my old instructor for several years before I started teaching on my own."



Erin Carver BG News

Thoresen teaches his students the fundamental techniques such as stances, strikes, blocks and kicks. The class starts from

the basics and work toward more difficult things such as combinations of offensive and defensive moves. He demonstrates the techniques and explains the underlying principles.

Participant Joe Holzhauser said they learn new things and are expected to work on them outside of class to become better.

"Not only is it amazing stress relief, but it trains the mind and body to be fit and in control," Holzhauser said. "Sensei Thoresen doesn't make the class too difficult to follow."

Seth Hartig enjoys the atmosphere and the "college feel" to the structure of the class.

Thoresen presents a "laid back" environment that benefits anyone who is willing to listen and challenge mental and physical boundaries, Hatig said.

"Karate is a challenging sport,

mentally and physically," participant Seth Hartig said. "It is also a great way to meet and get to know new people that you develop respect for."

Thoresen may teach in a laid back environment, but he still expects hard work from his students.

"As people catch on to the basics we expect them to refine and get better at them," Thoresen said. "We also incorporate a great deal of striking on pads instead of just on the air so people get a much more realistic view of how the techniques work."

Sarah Kipp has taken the class for four semesters and has received her 7th kyu — she now wears a blue belt with a yellow strip.

"We not only learn how to respect the martial arts, but we learn where our style came from and who founded it," Kipp said. "We are taught the proper etiquette in the dojo and how to work on self-concerning our mind, body and spirit."

There are all kinds of benefits from this activity — according to Thoresen it strengthens the body and mind, reduces stress, can be used as self-defense, increases flexibility and confidence. It's also a challenging and rewarding way to have fun.

"Initially, people think it's going to be like a typical aerobics or kickboxing class, but we are on the ground doing pushups, sparring, breaking boards and really break a good sweat," Kipp said.

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### BRIEF HISTORY OF KYOKUSHIN

At the Shoshin Dojo, traditional Kyokushin Karate is practiced. Kyokushin was developed by Mas Oyama (1923-1994) in the 1950s. Oyama, Sosai synthesized what he had learned in several styles, together with his own rigorous training. Kyokushin has over 12,000,000 international practitioners. Kyokushin is a realistic martial art, which is both traditional and practical. It is Budo Karate, in that not only is the body trained, but the system also adheres to a unifying philosophy. Budo is a collective term describing the many traditional martial arts of Japan; arts that have been handed down and preserved for the purpose of human character development and the forging of a strong and persistent will.

Source: Paul Thoresen

### SKILLS ACQUIRED

- Rei (etiquette)
- Tai so (exercise)
- Kihon (basics)
- Kata (forms)
- Kumite (sparring)
- Goshin (self-defense)

# Study: binge drinking down

By Dmitry Bulgakov  
REPORTER

A recent survey says binge drinking is decreasing on campus.

The University has earned a 2003 Ohio Exemplary Prevention Program Award, given for the outstanding anti-drinking programming on a college campus. Traditionally, the average number of University students who participate in high-risk drinking has been higher than the 45 percent national average, but the situation is changing, thanks to the social norming program, which has brought the University average down.

### PERCENT OF ALCOHOL USE IN PAST 30 DAYS

	2000	2002	CHANGE
Never Used	11.5%	15.8%	+4.3%
Male Never Used	13%	16%	+3.0%
Female Never Used	10%	16%	+6.0%
10-19 days	25.5%	22.9%	-2.6

"Every two years we do a measurement and it shows a decrease of high-risk drinking and some behaviors associated with it," said Terry L. Rentner, an associate professor of journalism and one of the program's organizers. "There is an increase in the number of students who never used alcohol in the last 30

days."

The core of the program lies in bridging the gap between the perception and reality — meaning students tend to overestimate what their peers are doing. And if you correct that misperception, then students will not buy into that pattern behavior when they get to campus.

"I ask high school students, and I've done a lot of Ohio high schools, how much they think the typical college student drinks, and they think that 98 percent of college students binge drink. That means that every time they drink, they drink five or more drinks," Rentner said. "The reality is that 44 percent of the students do that. What I try to do at the high school level is I go back and correct that misperception by simply giving them the facts."

The public relations campaign includes peer education programmers, posters, fliers, table tents and concentrates primarily

on freshmen, members of the Greek system and athletes.

"The average nationwide percent of binge drinking among college students is around 45 percent, but ours is a little bit higher, at 59.5," Rentner said. "But the point is, it has been a lot higher and it is actually coming down."

"If you look at 2000 and 2002 numbers we have improved," Barbara Hoffman, Health Promotions Coordinator, said. "But if you compare nationally, we still have a ways to go yet."

There are a lot of factors

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### FOUR-DAY FORECAST

The four-day forecast is taken from weather.com

#### TUESDAY



Snow  
Showers  
High: 36°  
Low: 7°

#### WEDNESDAY



Mostly  
Cloudy  
High: 19°  
Low: 4°

#### THURSDAY



Cloudy  
High: 22°  
Low: 4°

#### FRIDAY



Partly  
Cloudy  
High: 21°  
Low: 5°

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# Peers help peers in UNIV 202

By Miranda Bond  
REPORTER

Many students are unaware of the variety of class options that are available at the University.

One of these options is the chance to earn credit by becoming a Peer Facilitator through the University 202 class.

Peer Facilitators have the role of teaming up with a University 100 instructor to assist in teaching the class.

UNIV 100 was made to help these students adjust to college life. Peer Facilitators are expected to guide students through their first year on campus.

Not only do they offer insight and initiate class discussion but they are expected to develop a class schedule with the instructor of the course as well. The position

is also designed so that person serves as a campus resource and serves as a role model to the UNIV 100 students.

"My role was to assist Dr. Vickie Shields, whom I was paired up with in any way possible," former facilitator Nicole Steffan said. "I was in charge of grading papers, taking attendance, teaching lessons myself, contacting speakers for the class and so on."

Students appreciate the information that facilitators offer.

"My Peer Facilitator was both interesting and enlightening," freshman Michael Robles, former UNIV 100 student, said. "She made the class room more comfortable because she added a student's point of view."

Applicants are must have a grade point average of 2.5 or high-

er, have completed at least one semester at the University, plan to attend and participate in four Peer Facilitating training courses and abide by and support the policies of the University.

Facilitators who complete these requirements receive two credits and valuable experience.

"Serving as a Peer Facilitator is an excellent opportunity to develop and enhance critical thinking, leadership and problem-solving skills that will transfer to every career and field of study," said Jodi Webb, Director of Orientation and First Year Programs.

Junior Katie Pawlak, former Peer Facilitator, agrees that this is a successful program. "There are so many benefits of being involved with the program," she said. "I am going to be a teacher

and by being a peer facilitator, I now have experience writing syllabi, planning and executing lesson plans, developing assignments and working with both students and instructors. By being a facilitator, I already have confidence in my teaching."

According to Webb, more than 45 students participated in the program for this school year.

"The program has received an increased number of applicants and gains popularity each year," Webb said.

Students who are interested in applying will need a letter of recommendation from a faculty or staff member and can apply online. Applications are due Feb. 7. For more information, call Orientation and First Year Programs at 372-9646.

# Programs dispel drinking myths

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behind drinking on our campus. Rentner thinks that a residential campus is more likely to have high-risk drinking. Another reason could be that historically, the University has had an image of being a party school.

"One of the problems we may not have as much control over though are the students who come to us from the high school," Hoffman said. "And many of them have engaged in the high-risk drinking before they even got here. So somehow, the University has to network with high schools and help them in campaigns as well to reduce high-risk drinking."

Campaigners say that it will take time to change the behavior, but, with the help of programs like social norming, the process should continue to make progress.

"Over the last six years we've seen a steady decrease in high risk drinking," Rentner said. "We know we are on the right road."

Apart from social norming, promoters try to give students more alternatives, like the Big Playground, which was started about five years ago and will also be held this year. The Department of Education recognized the

University's efforts and places it as one of the top seven programmers in the country.

"We need to gain more funding, to do more social norm programming," Rentner said. "We have one right now from the Ohio Department of Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services, and we have had grants since 1997. We will always be able to find some funding, but certainly additional large funding would be useful."

Rentner began her research in the area of social norming and looking at perception versus reality in the early 1990s.

"My contribution is that, first, I'm teaching the public relation discipline, and I'm able to develop an effective campaign," Rentner said. "Two, I segmented the audiences; we have got to see at different high-risk groups. We correct misperception. You always hear the same, 'Everybody is at the bars on Thursday night.' Think about that—are 18,000 people really at the bar? No, it is the perception that everyone is at the bar."

The next point in the campaign will be smoking, because according to some studies, there is a correlation between smoking and drinking.

# Class is positive and rewarding

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John Learned had a positive and rewarding experience with the class.

"Since it's a form of karate that trains pro and semi-pro fighters, it's good stress relief and a great workout," he said. "There's always a feeling of accomplishment whenever I test for a new belt."

But not everyone is ready for the commitment, according to Thoresen.

"Some people will love it and really dedicate themselves while others will not be able to commit to all the required techniques and the strenuous training," he said. "There is always something new to learn, but at the same time, there is a great deal of simplicity."

The program stands out from others at the recreation center, according to Gaskins.

"It's one of those programs you don't see in a typical wellness and fitness based program," Gaskins

said.

Thoresen has had plenty of martial arts experience outside of the class he instructs. He has provided self-defense seminars for student organizations on campus and sponsored long-term martial arts practitioners to provide seminars. He has joined the United States Kyokushin Karate Organization (USKKO). Thoresen has attended national training camps and tournaments sponsored by USKKO.

He has participated in local and regional tournaments in Northeast Iowa and acted as a judge and referee at local tournaments for American Kyokushin. He has taught classes for adults and juniors at Cedar Falls Karate Club and has held the position of secretary, treasurer and vice president of the American Kyokushin Black Belt Society.

"He is an amazing teacher who truly takes pride in who and what he teaches," Kipp said.

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## STUDENTS STUDY LESS, STILL GET GOOD GRADES

LOS ANGELES (U-WIRE) — This year's freshmen class studied less in high school than any class in at least 37 years, a new UCLA study says. According to a survey conducted by the Higher Education Research Institute at UCLA, a record-high number of students spent fewer than six hours doing homework their senior year of high school. Despite not studying as much, over 45 percent of entering freshmen at four-year colleges and universities in 2002 reported earning an "A" average in high school.

# get a life

The calendar of events is taken from  
<http://events.bgsu.edu>

8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
**Valentine Formal Ticket Sales**  
Sponsored by Glory Phi God.  
Union Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**Direct Pressure: A Collective of the Print Society of BGSU**  
Union Galleries

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
**Sigma Lambda Gamma Fundraiser**  
Sigma Lambda Gamma will be selling orders for cookies.  
Union Lobby

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
**Love Unlimited Cabaret Ticket Sales**  
Sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.  
Union Lobby

11 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
**Dance Marathon Fundraiser**  
Delta Gamma will be selling slip-pers.  
Union Lobby

Noon - 3 p.m.  
**Give BG Table**  
Sponsored by the Development Office.  
Union Lobby

1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
**Valentine's Day Raffle**  
Win a free dinner and movie! Benefiting Dance Marathon!  
Union Table

3 p.m.  
**English Department Lecture - The Humanities Post-The Human**  
Union Room 314

3 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
**President's Lecture Series Spring 2003**  
Union Theater

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**Education Abroad Re-entry Program**  
This is a general informational session about the many overseas study opportunities available to BGSU students. The process of studying abroad will also be dis-

cussed.  
1103 Offenhauer West

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
**Writers Group**  
An hour-long haven for writers, those who like to write, and those dragged along by their writer friends. Open to anyone in the BGSU community. For further information, contact Teresa Milbrodt at 372-9683 or [terrian@bgsu.edu](mailto:terrian@bgsu.edu). Meets every Monday from 4:00-5:00 p.m. 107 Hanna Hall

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
**Support Group for Women with Anorexia & Bulimia Concerns**  
Group support for women at all stages of recovery. Confidentiality is emphasized. Sponsored by the Student Health Center and the Counseling Center. Please contact Judy Miller for more information, 372-7425. Meets every Monday from 6:30-8:00 p.m. 107 Hanna Hall

www.bgnews.com/campus

# CAMPUS

## Students compete in pool tournament

By Andrew Scharf  
REPORTER

The sharks came to play this weekend at the Student Union pub.

University students tried their best to become pool sharks during a men's 9-Ball competition. The tournament was part of a nationwide event sponsored by the Association of College Unions International.

The ACUI creates and sponsors events for unions to participate in throughout the school year. Schools across the country also held similar 9-ball competitions.

The winners of the Bowling Green tournament will move on to the regional tournament, which will be held at the University of Toledo on Feb. 15 and 16. Twenty-two colleges and universities will be participating in the regional event including Kent State and the University of Michigan.

Thirteen participants played

in a double elimination tournament. Individual matches were a best-of-five playoff.

"The event really went smoothly and I think everyone enjoyed it," said Kim Jacobs, associate director of programs and services for the Union. "I think it has been a competitive event, but also fun."

Nine ball is played with standard pool balls numbered one through nine. The object of the game is for the player shooting the cue ball to pocket the lowest numbered ball on the table. The game ends when a player puts the nine ball into a pocket.

The two finalists for the event were Henry O'Malley and Chris Redmond. Both played in the final match on Sunday evening. The match came down to the fifth and final game with Redmond winning the tournament in a close finish.

"It was pretty stressful," Redmond said.

The competition for the event

was strong. According to Redmond everyone who played was talented. Though participants took the event seriously, they did not lose sight of the fun aspect of the event, he said.

Even after losing, O'Malley said he was more than willing to compete in a similar competition again.

"The University should keep doing this more than once a year," O'Malley said.

Both students found out about the event from advertisements and flyers in the Union. Redmond decided to enter into the competition because he enjoys playing pool while at Bowling Green bars. He was also impressed by the uniqueness of the event.

"I had never seen anything like this at Bowling Green before," he said. "I'm glad Bowling Green had the event."

## THE CAMPUS BLOTTER

Monday, Feb. 3:

Todd France, of Toledo, OH was cited for expired plates on College.

Complainant reported his Zip disk was stolen from the Rodgers computer lab.

Complainant reported writings on the side of a stall in the bathroom.

Complainant reported a subject was looking at pornography on a

University computer in Williams Hall.

Complainant reported files were deleted from his computer in McDonald East Hall.

Complainant reported that a window was broken out of her vehicle while parked in Lot 6.

Complainant reported he was attacked by a Jack Russell Terrier with the name Tag on his collar in Lot

6.

The top was torn off of a one week old Ping Pong table in Kohl Hall.

Complainant reported that his driver's side window was broken out of his vehicle while parked in Lot 6. Nothing was taken from the vehicle.

A report of numerous prank phone calls promising free food were reported from the Ashley front desk.



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(newsweek.com)

www.bgnews.com/opinion

## OPINION

## Space exploration can't stop here

First, let's take a moment to remember the seven astronauts who were killed when the shuttle Columbia exploded Saturday morning over Texas.

Now, how will this tragedy affect NASA's reputation and funding? We here at **The BG News** do not want to see space exploration halted due to this tragedy.

NASA's budget has been the

center of many debates for many years. The debates always entail cutting some portion of NASA's budget. There are those that do not think that NASA is even serving a purpose. Exploration of the largest and final frontier is not serving a purpose?

Humans are curious creatures. If there is something that we don't yet know about, then we more than likely try to find the answer. If there is a place we haven't been, then we go. Yes, we

have been to space, but every time we come back we know something else.

An article posted on the Time magazine's Web site has loads of negativity towards the space shuttle program.

"This second shuttle loss means NASA must be completely restructured—if not abolished and replaced with a new agency with a new mission." Space exploration was the old mission. Is there something better to do in

a vacuum?

Yes, space flight is expensive. According to Time magazine, each shuttle launch costs around \$500 million. There are certainly other ways for the money to be spent, but if NASA was completely terminated it would be as if we went back in time about 40 years.

Clearly, the Columbia was no spring chicken. In fact it was nearly 30 years old. Many people are blaming the malfunction on

the age of the shuttle.

However, the cost of building a new shuttle would greatly exceed the cost of a launch. According to Rock City News, "the entire shuttle cost about 2 billion dollars." That is four times the cost of one launch.

The **BG News** shares the same opinion as President Bush saying that, "our journey into space will go on." We cannot, even if combined with the Challenger and Apollo 11 tragedies, let the

Columbia tragedy scare us away from space travel.

Remember the world's reaction when Neil Armstrong landed on the moon? Just think if we stopped going into space. There would be no more reactions left to anticipate. What about Mars? What about going to another galaxy? What about finding another planet that can sustain life? We may be giving up our chance to find out if we really are alone in this vast universe.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## USG letters should help persuade Taft

Ohio's economy is in bad shape. Governor Taft has just signed an executive order that forces state agencies to cut \$121 million from their budgets by June. Luckily, universities were spared this time, but it is important not to forget that just last year higher education received 54 percent of the budget cuts. Governor Taft also has stated that more cuts will be necessary to balance the budget if the legislature does not pass a bill to increase the sin tax.

Now I know as college kids, we don't want to see the price of beer go up, but the state's budget is in serious trouble. Isn't it better to pay a little more for that beer than to have a huge tuition increase again?

Governor Taft is battling to keep funding for higher education, but it appears to be a losing battle. The state legislature is about to create the budget for the next two years and with the current economy it appears that there will be less money to go around. This affects a lot of students. It means that our education will suffer because universities will be forced to make cut backs.

As students, we need to inform the legislature that they are going to further hurt the economy if they take more money from higher education. On average, a person with a bachelor's degree makes \$17,000 more a year than a person with just a high school diploma. That is a lot more money to feed into Ohio's economy and it only makes sense that the state should make higher education easily affordable so more people can get their degree.

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Undergraduate Student Government (USG) is trying to get the message across to the legislature. They have created letters that they are asking students to sign. The purpose of these letters is to inform State Representatives about the benefits higher education provides for Ohio. USG will then send people to Columbus, Ohio on February 20th with these letters when they meet with State Representatives.

Please call 2-8116, email [jdortch@bgnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:jdortch@bgnet.bgsu.edu), or stop by 404 Bowen-Thompson Student Union if you would like to help or if you would like to sign one of these letters.

JUSTIN DORTCH  
STUDENT

## Councilman Mike Ferner is not a traitor

I was appalled to hear about the NBC 24 "poll" asking viewers and web site visitors to decide, on the basis of little more than a headline, whether or not former Toledo City Councilman Mike Ferner is a "traitor" for "going to Iraq to oppose U.S. military action there."

If being a traitor means nothing more than opposing the dictates of the President and a few of his close advisers, then the judicial and legislative branches of our federal government are, by their nature, traitorous. I'm sure all Bowling Green State University students are aware that one of the principal functions of these bodies is to protect the American people from potential abuse of power by limiting the powers of each individual official (including the President) and of each branch of government.

Conversely, if we truly

embrace our Constitution and Bill of Rights, then we realize that dissent is not simply a privilege of being American. On the contrary, willingness to express dissent and defend our principles is the duty of all Americans.

Vast numbers of Americans, as you know, are joining Ferner in carrying out that duty. On its January 20 editorial page, the New York Times noted "the largest anti-war rally at the capitol since the Vietnam era. It was impressive for the obvious mainstream roots of the marchers." It isn't just easily-dismissed anti-establishment types who are protesting. In fact, a broad spectrum of U.S. authorities, ranging from former Gulf War commanders to CIA officials, have advised against waging war on Iraq precisely because Saddam Hussein might be as dangerous as the President says. If forced into a corner, Hussein might not hesitate to strike back at us with weapons of mass destruction.

Furthermore, religious leaders around the U.S. and around the world (including officials of most of the mainstream Christian denominations) have repeatedly condemned war in general and unilateral preemptive strikes by the U.S. in particular, because they are immoral. Wars always have a disproportionate impact on those who are already poor and underprivileged, even on the "winning" side (remember how many of the body bags coming back from Vietnam were occupied by minority soldiers).

No one denies that Saddam Hussein must be stopped; however, it is clear that most of the world (including a significant number of patriotic U.S. citizens) does not think war is the way to stop him.

JASON WELLS-JENSEN  
INSTRUCTOR

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FRESHMAN  
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"The private pilot for Britney Spears."

## No more rules for Toledo strip clubs



**CURT HARRIS**

Opinion Columnist

Coming soon to a strip club near you ... absolutely nothing! Chalk it up to morality, but if the Toledo City council's decision doesn't get over turned in the courts, the Toledo strip clubs will be all but shut down. To me, this is worse than the porn ban in Bowling Green.

So what exactly did city council decide? The new rule "establishes a minimum six-foot separation between dancers and patrons, and requires those performers to be on 18-inch-high stages" and "explicitly prohibits patrons touching intimate body parts of dancers, and vice versa and any placing of money in or on the costumes of dancers."

First, if and when these rules go into effect, the dancers will lose a majority of their income. If the dancers don't make money, then clubs don't make money. A majority of the money a dancer makes is made via lap dances or being stuffed in what little articles of clothing they do wear while they dance on stage. Both of these means will be eliminated and I highly doubt anyone will be inclined to tip quite as well from six feet away. In case you're wondering, when showing in the dorms here at the University, you can be closer to naked people than under the new rules in the strip clubs.

Even if people were as inclined to tip as well from that distance, if you can't get lap dances or stuff dollars down g-strings; why go to a strip club? To see scantily clad women? You could just as easily, and for the about the same price as going to the strip club, buy an issue of the soon-to-come National Geographic Swimsuit issue. What are men (and some women) supposed to do?

A lot of people (like one member of city council) simply don't care about the loss of income to these adult businesses. They view exotic dancers as the scum of society and want them run out of town. To paraphrase the council member, the strip club brings all sorts of negative things to the area, such as

"prostitution" and "used condoms" lying by the side of the road.

This seems to be a popular misconception. Strippers are not prostitutes. Strippers sell mild sexual fantasy, whereas hookers sell sex. Hookers, sometimes have pimps who keep them from getting injured or killed. Strippers have bouncers, who are large strong men who don't allow you to touch the strippers at all.

It's mainly for this reason I've never understood why women will not let their men go for a guys night out to the strip club, where the possibility of the men getting drunk and going home with a woman is zero to none, but will allow them to go on a guys night out to a bar, where hooking up with women is more likely.

I know what you're saying, so they're not prostitutes, that doesn't make them great people. You might be right. But what kind of girl is a stripper? A BBC investigation discovered that one fourth of women working in strip clubs are full-time students. The extra money helps them get out of debt and pay for a college education. The girls said they chose stripping over other part time jobs because they could earn two weeks worth of wages in just one night of dancing. If you're reading this article in class right now look around, maybe someone in the room is a stripper.

Of course the adult entertainment clubs plan to fight this with legal action and other means including a publicity barrage featuring barely clad women distributing flyers on the streets of Toledo. So now, thanks to city council's actions, instead of having adult entertainment behind closed doors it will now be on the streets for your children to see.

Finally, if you're one of those people who think nudity is bad no matter what the financial need may be, allow me to remind you of the first amendment and the freedom of expression we have in this country.

So to the Toledo city council I say get off your high horse and retract your unjust decision.



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## GIULIANI HIRES PRIEST ACCUSED OF SEXUAL ABUSE

NEW YORK (AP) — A priest who was barred from the ministry after he was accused of sexual abuse has been working for former Mayor Rudolph Giuliani's consulting business, according to published reports Saturday. When initially contacted at Giuliani Partners on Friday, Placa claimed he was merely visiting, Newsday reported. But Giuliani spokeswoman Sunny Mindel later confirmed to Newsday and to The New York Times that he worked there.

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## NATION

## Investigators inspect factory explosion

By Paul Nowell  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

KINSTON, N.C.

Investigators finally entered the hulking ruins of a medical supply factory Saturday, even as the debris continued to smolder.

Despite the unsafe condition of some of the building, investigators went inside the remains of the West Pharmaceutical Services plant, said Peter O'Connor, a special agent with the federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

Firefighters continued to pour water on smoldering areas.

"There's hot spots here and there, it's just mainly containing them," said Mike Morris of the Lenoir County Fire Command. "It's going to smolder for days."

The blast shot flames and debris high into the air and shook buildings miles away Wednesday. Some investigators have theo-

rized that dust produced in the rubber-making process might have ignited somehow, but others have said it's too early to speculate.

Wearing white helmets and protective coveralls, the investigators brought along dogs who sniffed for evidence of accelerants and examined the patterns of damage, O'Connor said. He said they were able to rule out some causes for the explosion, but he declined to give detail.

The investigators got into the chemical mixing room, where the fire is believed to have started.

"The investigation should be completed in the next several days when we hope to have a preliminary cause and origin," O'Connor said.

About 130 people were inside the plant, and nine remained hospitalized in critical condition Saturday at the North Carolina

Jaycee Burn Center in Chapel Hill. Three people were killed in the blast's immediate aftermath, and a fourth worker died of his burns Friday at the Chapel Hill center.

Dozens of relatives and friends came to a downtown funeral home Saturday to mourn Faye Wilkins, who died near the beginning of the disaster when she was trapped by fallen steel beams.

Wilkins, 50, and her estranged husband had two sons and a daughter and three young grandchildren. She had worked at West for 17 years.

Family friend Angela Brown said it has been hard for Wilkins' loved ones to accept her death and those of the others. "A lot of people are mad that this had to happen to these people," she said.

William Gray, 51, and James Byrd, 60, were also killed outright. Kevin M. Cruiss, 22, died Friday.



Chuck Burton AP Photo

**EXPLOSION:** Sen. John Edwards D-N.C., left, listens as North Carolina Governor Mike Easley speaks Thursday at a press conference at the now destroyed West Pharmaceutical Services plant.

## Toughman fighter's death ruled homicide

SAGINAW, Mich. (AP) — The medical examiner listed homicide as the cause of death of a Toughman contestant. But law enforcement officials said they would not seek criminal charges, noting the bouts are legal in the state.

Scott Wood, 31, of San Antonio, died Jan. 24 at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw. He was taken to the hospital Jan. 4, shortly after falling unconscious after winning his bout at Soaring Eagle Casino and Resort in Mount Pleasant. Toughman, a form of boxing where contestants compete for small cash prizes, has been linked to at least nine deaths since 1979.

But Isabella County Prosecutor Larry Burdick said he did not plan to pursue a murder case because Wood's death was equivalent to a slaying committed in self-defense.

## Doctors rally for malpractice reforms

By Linda A. Johnson  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TRENTON, N.J. — Hospitals across New Jersey brought in extra workers and canceled elective surgeries to prepare for an unprecedented work slowdown expected Monday from thousands of doctors protesting the cost of malpractice insurance.

Physicians across the state planned to withhold non-emergency services and attend protests during the slowdown, but it was not clear how many of New Jersey's 22,000 doctors would take part.

Some doctors have vowed to stay off the job at least a week — or until Gov. James E. McGreevey and Democratic lawmakers

agree to legal reforms doctors argue would rein in six-figure malpractice premiums.

"There are some doctors who have said point-blank that they're not going back until this is resolved," Dr. Robert S. Rigolosi, president of the Medical Society of New Jersey, said Friday.

Hospitals and doctors said emergency and urgent patient care would continue.

"We have doubled our ER staff" during the job action, said Dr. Joe Reichman, vice president of medical affairs for Virtua West Jersey's four hospitals. "About 95 percent of elective surgeries are canceled."

Other hospitals took similar steps, and many doctors' offices

posted notices about the situation.

Monday's action, organized by a grass-roots group of doctors, was backed by their professional societies and many hospitals.

Doctors say premiums rising above \$200,000 for some specialists threaten access to patient care by forcing many doctors to retire early, move to states where premiums are lower or give up procedures that draw the most lawsuits, such as delivering babies and risky surgeries.

Malpractice insurance premiums have recently prompted doctors in Florida, Mississippi and West Virginia to temporarily withhold services, and have led to protests in several other states.

Insurance companies blame rising premiums on excessive jury awards and meritless lawsuits, but lawyers blame them on insurance company mismanagement. Many experts say doctors are increasingly squeezed because contracts with HMOs and Medicare prevent them from raising rates.

New Jersey doctors scheduled rallies and other events around the state Monday, followed by a Statehouse rally Tuesday and lobbying Wednesday. Consumer groups planned a Statehouse news conference Monday to argue against doctors' demand for limits on malpractice awards.

On Friday, medical society officials delivered some 16,000

patient petitions to McGreevey's office in which they demanded that politicians help doctors.

The doctors' demand for a \$250,000 cap on pain-and-suffering damages has snarled year-long talks with politicians. McGreevey and key Democrats oppose it; doctors insist caps have held down premiums in California and 23 other states.

Democrats, patient advocates, and consumer and attorney groups argue such caps are unfair to malpractice victims.

The doctors' proposal would not affect malpractice victims' right to be compensated for medical bills, ongoing therapy and lost wages.

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## 40 DIE WHEN NIGERIAN BANK EXPLODES IN ROBBERY

LAGOS, Nigeria (AP) — A powerful explosion tore apart a bank and dozens of apartments above it yesterday in Nigeria's crowded commercial capital, killing at least 40 people and trapping many others, relief workers said. The blast was part of a bank robbery plot. Looting and bloody fights broke out as hundreds of young men grabbed fistfuls of cash from the leveled bank and battled over them. In the chaos, trapped victims cried for rescue and onlookers wailed as rescuers retrieved bloody, broken bodies.

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## WORLD

## Politicians debate return to draft

Early draft proponents now oppose it, those who once protested it now support it

By David Crary  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — During the Vietnam War, presidents and the Pentagon defended the draft, while the peace movement assailed it. As America edges toward a possible new war, roles have reversed.

Backed by other opponents of a war with Iraq, Rep. Charles Rangel, D-N.Y., has proposed that the draft — shelved since 1973 — be reinstated in the name of "shared sacrifice."

The Pentagon disagrees, insisting that today's all-volunteer forces are more efficient and professional than conscripts.

Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld has gone further, asserting at a news conference that draftees added "no value, no advantage" to the military because they served for such brief periods. After members of Congress and veterans groups protested, Rumsfeld apologized, but made clear he opposes a return to conscription.

Still, Rangel's proposal — though unlikely to win passage — has revived a dormant national debate about the concept of mandatory national service. It is a discussion that creates unusual allies and goes to the heart of American citizenship.

While the Pentagon and the

Bush administration support an all-volunteer military, a broad constituency favors some type of universal national service, either military duty or a civilian alternative.

"The problem with the all-volunteer force is that the children of America's elite are not serving," said Charles Moskos, a Northwestern University sociologist who studies military issues. "It's not good for the military, and it's not good for the nation."

Moskos has proposed a three-tiered draft — specifically designed to include college graduates — with the choice to serve with the armed forces, a home-

*"The problem with the all-volunteer force is that the children of America's elite are not serving."*

CHARLES MOSKOS, SOCIOLOGIST

land security agency such as the Border Patrol, or a public service organization such as the Peace Corps.

On college campuses, opinions about the draft are deeply divided.

"I don't object to the argument that there's a socio-economic bias in the military, but remedying that with a draft is ridiculous," said University of Virginia sophomore Chris Wilson. "I would

protest every step of the way."

At the University of Oregon, law student Philip Huang suggested in a campus newspaper column in October that a draft would make U.S. leaders more judicious about launching war.

"You would have a different army under a draft, more of a cross-section politically and racially," Huang said.

In a survey of 1,200 undergraduates nationwide, conducted last fall by Harvard University's Institute of Politics, 67 percent opposed a return of the draft. The poll's margin of error was 2.8 percent.

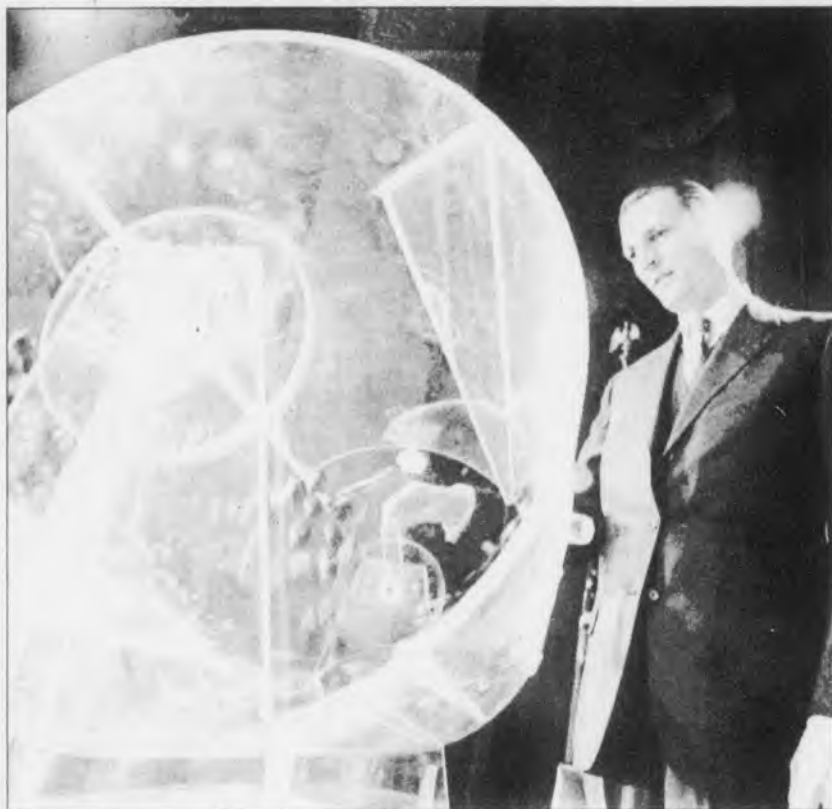
The machinery for reinstating the draft is in place even now, thanks to the Selective Service System, which requires American males to register within 30 days of their 18th birthdays.

A renewed draft would differ from the Vietnam War draft in at least one important respect. Under revised Selective Service procedures, college students receiving a draft notice could defer only until the semester ended; in the Vietnam era, they could avoid service as long as they pursued a degree.

There could be other changes, as well. Some feminists object to the male-only aspect of draft registration; a suit was filed Jan. 9 by five Massachusetts students saying the current law amounts to gender-based discrimination.

"It's so ingrained in our society that this is the way it is," said plaintiff Nicole Foley, 17. "Boys, when there's a war, go off to war, and the girls wait home and get the letters."

Some gay-rights activists and military experts advocate another change — extending the draft to openly gay men. This proposal has been endorsed by Moskos, who helped develop the "don't



**DRAFT HISTORY:** Draft Director Curtis W. Tarr is shown spinning a plexiglass drum at the beginning of the fourth annual Selective Service lottery in Washington in this 1972 file photo. Inside are capsules holding birthdates and orders of assignments for men born in 1953.

ask, don't tell" policy that lets gay and lesbian soldiers serve if they keep their sexual orientation private and don't engage in homosexual acts.

"We now have about 1,200 people a year getting out of the military with an honorable discharge by saying they're gay," Moskos said. "In a draft, that

would become such a common loophole, it wouldn't work." The best way to block that option is to include gays in the draft, he said. Rangel, a liberal from Harlem, made it no secret that his restore-the-draft proposal was intended to slow the march toward war with Iraq — though he intends to push his idea, however that con-

flit turns out. "I've been criticized by some of the CEOs of the country for not supporting the president," Rangel said. "When I ask them, 'Would you feel the same if it was your kid being placed in harm's way?' they hem and they haw."



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# Kent State rolling again

By Casey Laughman  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

After losing Trevor Huffman, Andrew Mitchell, Demetric Shaw and coach Stan Heath, Kent State wasn't expected to repeat the success of last year's team that cruised through the Mid-American Conference before its stunning play in the NCAA tournament.

Think again. Antonio Gates scored 28 points on Saturday to lead the Golden Flashes to a 78-71 victory over Western Michigan. It was the sixth straight win for Kent State (15-2, 8-1) and its 12th consecutive conference road win dating back to last season.

In other games involving MAC teams on Saturday, Ohio beat Marshall 87-85 in double overtime; Akron defeated Eastern Michigan 96-80; Bowling Green lost to Central Michigan 88-71; Miami (Ohio) beat Buffalo 57-55; and Northern Illinois defeated Ball State 78-60.

Gates' 3-pointer with 2:05 left was part of an 11-0 run gave the Golden Flashes a 73-63 lead with 1:08 left.

"When he's got the ball in his hands, you don't have to say anything to him," Kent coach Jim Christian said.

"What are you doing to do?" Western coach Robert McCullum said. "Defense alone is not the answer. You have to be effective on the offensive end."

The Broncos weren't, shooting 29 percent in the second half. Anthony Kann led the Broncos (12-6, 4-5) with 23 points. Anthony Wilkins added 15 points.

Brandon Hunter had 35 points and 16 rebounds as Ohio beat Marshall.

Hunter hit 10 of 16 from the floor and 13 of 19 free throws, including 11 consecutive free throws late in the game.

"Obviously, he is a man-child and if he gets the ball in the block he is unstoppable," Marshall coach Greg White said.

Saturday's performance was Hunter's 12th double-double of the season and the 40th of his career. Last season in Huntington, Hunter had 27 points and 22 rebounds.

Steve Esterkamp added 22 points for Ohio (6-10, 3-5).

Ronald Blackshear led Marshall (9-8, 5-4) with 30 points, although he did not start because he was late for pregame warmups. Marvin Black added 21 points.

JaVon Harris hit a 3-pointer with 51 seconds left in the second overtime to break an 80-80 tie and give the Bobcats the lead for good.

Chris Kaman had 21 points, 14 rebounds and six blocks as Central Michigan defeated

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

# Men sputter on road again

By Joel Hammond  
MANAGING EDITOR

MT. PLEASANT, Mich. — What was feared heading into Saturday's tilt between the Mid-American Conference West Division's top two teams was confirmed by halftime.

Central Michigan is deep and good.

Seven-foot center Chris Kaman had another big game, and further cemented himself as the leading candidate for MAC Player of the Year as the Chippewas ran out to an early 16-point lead and cruised to an

88-71 win over Bowling Green.

The win vaulted the hosts past the Falcons and back into first place in the division.

"I thought we came out and were relentless in our movement and pressure," CMU coach Jay Smith said. "I thought they got fatigued a little bit. You're concerned when you play a team that has come back in a lot of games."

BG (10-8, 6-4 MAC) scored the first four of the game, but Central managed to tie the game at seven by the first media timeout.

Over the next eight minutes,

CMU outscored the Falcons 23-8, and took a 30-15 lead with six minutes left in the half. Tony Bowne scored six of his 18 over the final minutes of the half, and the hosts led 37-23 at the half.

An 11-2 run to open play in the second half essentially put the game away for good, as Bowne's two threes during the run helped push the CMU lead to 48-25. After CMU stretched the lead to 29 at 67-38 with 12 minutes left, BG went on an 8-0 run to get the lead to 21, as Ron Lewis hit two free throws and Cory Eyink made two threes.

But, after a media timeout, the Chips scored seven straight to extend the lead once again.

BG's John Reimold scored 13 over the final eight minutes, but it was too little too late, as both Eyink and Kevin Netter, the Falcons' only remaining players over 6'7", fouled out in the late stages of the game.

After the game, BG coach Dan Dakich was impressed by Central's effort.

"I thought everyone they put in the game played well," Dakich said. "Their smaller guys did a really good job of getting into us.

The game was decided by their ability to, by halftime, eliminate three of our starters. Jabari [Mattox], Cory [Eyink] and Ron [Lewis] really didn't get anything done. I felt it was a function of their defensive pressure, more than anything else."

Kaman led the Chippewas with 21 points, 14 rebounds and six blocks, his 13th double-double of the year, while Mike Manciel added 20. Bowne's 18 was his career high.

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# PRO BOWL



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**MAN ON A MISSION:** Marshall Falk (28) of the NFC St. Louis Rams carries for a first down into the AFC defense of Peter Boulware (58) of the Baltimore Ravens and Lawyer Milloy (36) of the New England Patriots in the first quarter of the Pro Bowl game at Aloha Stadium in Honolulu yesterday. The AFC defeated the NFC, 45-20.

# Icers go 1-1 against UNO

By Erica Gambaccini  
SPORTS EDITOR

Heading into Nebraska-Omaha, the Falcons had little hope at gaining a win. The Mavericks were coming off a weekend sweep over No. 7 Ohio State.

However, after the first shot on net for the Falcons went in Friday night, Bowling Green realized that the Mavericks might not be as hard as they thought.

BG came away with a 5-0 victory Friday night, and a tough 6-3 loss on Saturday.

"I think we had a very good effort out of our team for 60 minutes," head coach Scott Paluch said. "We were playing in a building that is probably the toughest place to play in in our league and certainly one of the toughest in college hockey."

Friday night's win was the Falcons' first road Central Collegiate Hockey Association win of the season (1-10-0). BG's last road win in league action came Jan. 25, 2002 at Michigan (4-2).

It was also BG's first road shutout since Nov. 27, 1999 at Lake Superior where Tyler Masters made 24 saves for a 1-0 victory. It was the first shutout of the season for BG, who had two

shutouts last season, against LSSU and NMU. Masters recorded both shutouts.

"It's always fun coming into another person's building and keeping the crowd kind of quiet, and getting up on them early," goaltender Jordan Sigalet said. "What we tried to do was come out and have a strong first 20 minutes because we've had some slow starts, and we put a full 60 minutes together."

Sigalet recorded his first career shutout, stopping all 31 shots faced.

"We got a very solid effort out of Jordan in goal early in the game," Paluch said. "Our special teams, both our penalty kill and our power play, were exceptional. We got an early lead and kept on building from that."

Alex Rogosheske registered the first goal for the Falcons Friday night at 7:41 of the first period. It was the Falcons' first shot on goal and extended Rogosheske's point streak to a career-high three games.

The Falcons' second goal came two minutes later on a five-on-three power-play. Mark Wires found the back of the net with help from D'Arcy McConvey and

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# BG lets game slip away to NIU

By Elliott Schreiner  
SPORTS REPORTER

Bowling Green had the game in their hands and let it slip away.

Just as it appeared that the Falcons were going to top last season's win total with a defeat of Northern Illinois Saturday, Huskies' star Jennifer Youngblood dashed away their hopes with late game heroics, helping her team to a 73-72 victory.

"This one stings a little bit," coach Curt Miller said. "You have an opportunity, down to the wire, to win a home game."

The early parts of the game were highlighted by intense defense, as both teams struggled to get any type of lead.

While the entire game was nip and tuck, both teams had chances to build big leads.

The Falcons' best opportunity came late in the first half, when sophomore Sakima Smith scored eight points in only 1:28 to give them a 34-26 lead.

But with a refuse to lose attitude, Northern Illinois got back into the game and took an even bigger lead at 64-55 on a lay-in by freshman Joi Scott, who

stepped up and finished the game with 23 points and 11 rebounds, both game highs.

At this point, it looked as if the Falcons were out of the game for good.

But the Falcons also brought a refuse to lose attitude and abruptly went on an 8-0 run to pull within one.

The run was led by seniors Francine Miller and Kim Griech. Miller started the run with a lay-in and Griech finished it with two three-point plays.

From there, the two teams battled to a 70-70 deadlock when Miller again stepped her game up and layed one in to give Bowling Green a 72-70 lead.

"Go-to players stepped up for both teams down the stretch," Coach Miller said. "It was a great college atmosphere and a great game to watch."

Just as Bowling Green's go-to players stepped up their games, Northern Illinois' players did the same.

With the ball bouncing off the rim like a pinball, Northern Illinois team leader Jennifer

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Ben Swanger BG News

**REACHING NEW HEIGHTS:** Lindsay Austin (12) jumps up to tip the ball in on Jan. 28 against Central Michigan.

# Containing NIU's great players key for Falcons

By Zach Baker  
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

Women's basketball coach Curt Miller said before Saturday's he knew that you could not stop great players for a whole game, only contain them.

BG had to try to hold Western Michigan's Casey Rost on Wednesday, and Miller said to win Saturday, they would need to contain Northern Illinois forward Jennifer Youngblood.

For BG, it was their inability to contain the Northern Illinois forward in the last 10 seconds that proved most costly.

It was Youngblood's layup with five seconds left, and a free throw that followed after a questionable foul was called on Jill Lause, that were the difference in BG's 73-72 loss to the Huskies.

Youngblood scored 21 points and grabbed nine rebounds, but said that BG did a good job of

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# Cavs sympathetic to James

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Cavaliers, with the worst record in the NBA, naturally hope to finish first in the draft lottery to get high school phenom LeBron James.

In the meantime, Cavaliers players were supportive Sunday of James, whose career at nationally top-ranked Akron St. Vincent-St. Mary is on hold for accepting two free replica jerseys.

"I just wish he could finish his high school career because that's what it's all about," said rookie guard Dajuan Wagner. "LeBron's my man, we've talked a lot about that. He's told me how much he wanted to win the state championship."

"But you show me an 18-year-old who will turn down free jerseys of Wes Unseld and Gale Sayers. He should not be deprived of the fun of high school ball because of that."

Wagner averaged 42.5 points in high school, once scored 100 in a New Jersey prep game, and left college after only one season. He understands the attention accorded James.

"I had a lot of people after me, too, but I was lucky," said Wagner, who is averaging 14.5 points in 33 games as a professional. "I had my dad. He warned me what to expect."

Wagner's father Milt helped Louisville win the 1986 NCAA championship and the Los Angeles Lakers win the NBA title in 1988.

Cavaliers forward Jumaine Jones said he is upset at the Ohio High School Athletic Association's decision to ban James.

"To keep on investigating him was not necessary," Jones said. "He's a good kid. Leave him alone."

"They didn't find anything with the Hummer, but kept looking at little things, too. You look hard enough at anybody, something is going to look funny."

James' mother Gloria gave her son the \$50,000-plus Hummer as

a gift. The OHSAA investigated to see if the vehicle was paid for by another source, but cleared him of any wrongdoing. Two days later, James was disqualified for accepting free jerseys worth \$845.

Cavs center Chris Mihm believes James needs better advisors.

"There are always people trying to get close to an athlete," Mihm said. "That's part of being in the public spotlight and you have to be wary."

"I had people try to give me stuff or get me to deal with them and you just have to think things through. I wish those around LeBron had given him better advice."

Guard Ricky Davis said perhaps OHSAA rules should be changed and that James' background needs to be considered in this case.

"You got players who grow up without much and it is tough for them not to accept gifts," Davis said. "Some kids playing sports have rich parents and getting a jersey is not that big a deal for them."

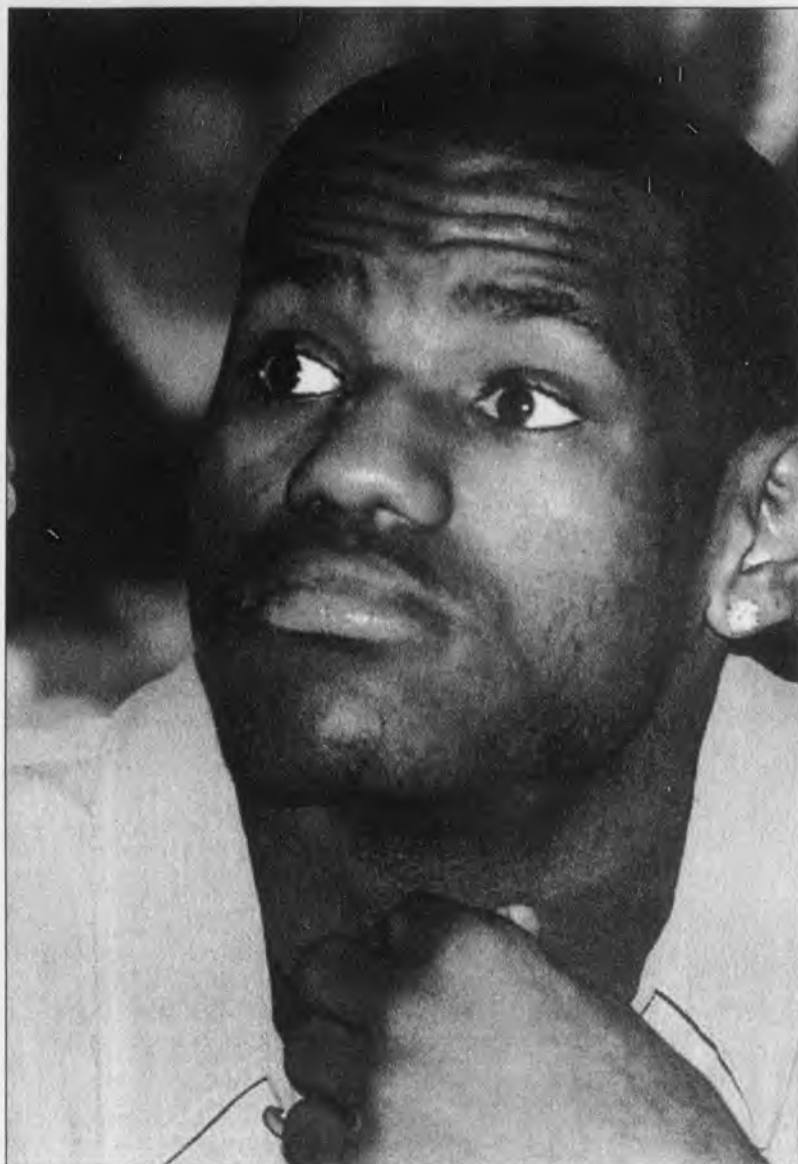
"Maybe they should change the rules a little. I don't exactly know how, but the world of sports has changed and the rules have not kept up."

Portland star Scottie Pippen also sympathized with James.

"Everybody loves him and everybody is making money off him," Pippen said after scoring 11 points in the Trail Blazers' 115-94 victory in Cleveland on Sunday. "Then he's not allowed to accept anything?"

"On the flip side, I think it is a blessing in disguise. He has nothing to gain by playing high school ball any more. He now needs to gather himself for the next level."

Cavs interim coach Keith Smart would not comment, remembering the hefty fine and two-game suspension given his predecessor John Lucas for including James in an informal team practice last summer.



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**LOOKING AHEAD:** High school basketball star LeBron James relaxes at his table before the greater Cleveland Sports Awards on Thursday. The Cavs look to pick up James in the draft.

## Purdue defeats Bucks, 67-62

By Dan Gelston  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — Shereka Wright scored 21 points and Erika Valek made the go-ahead 3-pointer with just over four minutes left to lead No. 10 Purdue past No. 23 Ohio State 67-62 yesterday.

The Boilermakers (18-3, 7-2 Big Ten) moved into sole possession of second place in the Big Ten and improved to 10-0 at home. Penn State (8-1) remained in first by defeating Indiana 69-55.

Caitly Matter, the top 3-point shooter in the conference, made six of nine and scored 22 points to lead Ohio State (15-5, 6-3). But she missed two 3-pointers on the Buckeyes' final possession.

Valek had 16 points for Purdue. Courtney Coleman added 15 points and Kim Wilburn had 11 assists for Ohio State.

The Buckeyes led 57-55 before a basket by Wright tied it, and Valek's 3-pointer put Purdue ahead with 4:02 left. Ohio State pulled to 64-62 with 46 seconds left when DiDi Reynolds sank a 3-pointer.

On Purdue's next possession, Wright took a bounce pass from Beth Jones underneath the basket, made a layup and was fouled. Wright hit the free throw — she was 11-for-11 from the line — to put it away.

The Buckeyes went 6-of-14 from the free-throw line, while Purdue was 19-of-20.

The Buckeyes made 14 of their first 26 field-goal attempts and built a 34-29 lead. Purdue scored the final four points of the half, including a layup at the buzzer by Wright, to make it 34-33.

The lead changed throughout the second half. Matter's sixth 3-pointer tied the game at 55 with 6:10 remaining. Ashley Allen made it 57-55 for Ohio State's last lead of the game.

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# Western Conf. wins in shootout

By Alan Robinson  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SUNRISE, Fla. — In a trying, troubling season, the NHL almost got the All-Star game wrong, too. Even if Dany Heatley didn't.

Heatley, a not-so-well known star from a last-place team playing in his first All-Star game, joined hockey greats such as Wayne Gretzky and Mario Lemieux by scoring a record-tying four goals Sunday, though he couldn't prevent the Western Conference from beating the East in the first All-Star shootout in NHL history.

Just like baseball's All-Star tie fiasco of last summer, there was considerable confusion at the finish. At least the NHL had a winner — a big relief for a league embarrassed twice this season by teams going bankrupt.

After a 5-all regulation tie set up the fourth overtime All-Star game, the West won 6-5 when Markus Naslund, Bill Guerin and Paul Kariya scored in the shootout against goalie Patrick Lalime. Only Heatley — of course — scored for the East against goalie Marty Turco.

Though Heatley put the puck in the net five times, the NHL announced several minutes after the game he would be credited only with four goals — the fifth player to do so.

Most of the fans left thinking the score was 8-6, as the West outscored the East 3-1 in the shootout; that also was changed by the NHL's hockey operations department after most had departed.

No, Bud Selig wasn't running the show, either, even if it might have seemed like it amid the con-

fusion.

"You heard the fans, they didn't want to go home without somebody winning this game," Turco said. "They wanted the East to win, but they were definitely excited and that got me pumped."

Even Gretzky got excited. The Great One went to the East's locker room before the third period and urged Heatley to go for the record.

"He told me to get five, six or seven," Heatley said. "It was unbelievable for him to come down. Too bad I couldn't get the fifth one."

Players on both sides said that, unlike the cruise control level of most All-Star games, both teams really wanted to win this one.

"All of a sudden, with 12 to 15 minutes to go, everybody was getting in front of everything, there was a little more stick work and the competitive juices got flowing," the West's Al MacInnis said.

Olli Jokinen said, "It was a lot faster and we even saw a few hits. It's a game for the fans, and I think this was the best (All-Star game) in many years."

Heatley, a 22-year-old overshadowed at times on his own Atlanta Thrashers team by Ilya Kovalchuk, matched Gretzky (1983), Lemieux (1990), Vincent Damphousse (1991) and Mike Gartner (1993) as the only players in the All-Star game's 53-year history with four goals.

He's also the youngest at 22 years and 13 days, or one day younger than Gretzky was in '83.

"I was pretty relaxed," Heatley said. "After I got the first one (against Patrick Roy), I was pretty relaxed and the chances kept coming and I put a few in."



Wilfredo Lee AP Photo

**OUT OF MY WAY:** Atlanta Thrashers Dany Heatley, left, and Los Angeles Kings Mathieu Schneider battle for the puck during the NHL All-Star game yesterday in Sunrise, Fla.

By taking away Heatley's shootout goal, the NHL also prevented him from matching Lemieux's 1988 record of six points in a game.

After getting his fourth goal with six minutes still remaining in the second period, Heatley flashed a typical hockey player's missing-tooth grin, then spent the rest of the fast-moving and relatively low-scoring game trying to get his record fifth goal.

His linemates, who usually included home-ice star Jokinen of Florida and Washington's Jaromir

Jagr, tried to get it for him too, repeatedly giving him the puck every time he hit the ice.

He didn't get that fifth goal in regulation, but Heatley did set up Jokinen's first career All-Star goal midway through the third period. Jokinen, a late addition to the game when Saku Koivu pulled out with an injury, also had a memorable debut with a goal and three assists.

Heatley's big game came only one year after he played in the Young Stars game, held the night before the All-Star game.

# Falcons wins first CCHA road game

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Kevin Bieksa.

Rogosheske scored his second goal of the night, a power-play goal, to give the Falcons a 3-0 lead.

The Falcons came out just as strong in the second period as they did in the first. Wires recorded his second power-play goal of the evening at the 8:00 mark of the second period.

Mike Falk scored the final power-play goal for the Falcons late in the third period.

At 18:54 in the third period the teams got into a brawl. BG's Ben Assenmacher and UNO's Mike Lefley were disqualified from the game. As a result of the incident, UNO had 21 penalties for 61 minutes, while BG had 20 penalties for 59 minutes.

Nebraska-Omaha held a 31-24 shot advantage for the game, but did not score on the power play, while the Falcons went 4-for-8 on the power play.

Saturday night was a different story for the Falcons, as they dropped a 6-3 decision to the Mavericks.

"The result doesn't show what kind of effort we put forth," Paluch said. "That was a very good performance by our team. We wanted to give ourselves a real good chance to get a sweep out of the weekend and we did that. We played real well."

Nebraska-Omaha got on the board first, at 1:13 of the first period, but the Falcons answered back when Wires

found the back of the net on a pass from Steve Brudewski and Tyler Knight.

UNO scored three more goals to give them a 4-1 lead before the Falcons scored again.

Falk netted a goal at 19:10 of the second period from McConvey and Brudewski to cut the Mavericks' lead to 4-2.

Then, with 17:42 left in the third period, Brudewski scored a short-handed goal to put the Falcons one goal closer to tying the game.

"[Brudewski] was terrific on Saturday," Paluch said. "We needed a goal and he gave it to us."

However, that was the last goal the Falcons would score. UNO registered two more goals, including an empty-net goal with 43 seconds left in the game.

Sigalet finished with 28 saves on 33 shots faced, while the Falcons ended the evening 1-for-6 on the power play.

"Jordan was very good again," Paluch said. "He played real well. He made so many saves in key situations. Jordan was solid throughout the entire night."

## NOTES

BG finished the month of January with a 4-3-1 record in eight games with its 5-0 win on Jan. 31 at UNO. The last time the Falcons finished above .500 for a month in the regular season was in March of 2001 (2-0-0).

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## BG NEWS BRIEFING

### Trail Blazers defeat Cavaliers, 114-95

CLEVELAND — Rasheed Wallace scored 14 of his 29 points in the first 10 minutes to lead the Portland Trail Blazers to a 114-95 victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers on yesterday.

Wallace, in his second game back after a seven-game suspension for confronting a referee, shot 10-for-13 from the field in 32 minutes as Portland won for the seventh time in eight games.

Wallace's first points came on a 3-pointer, and then the 6-foot-11 forward-center pounded his way to the basket in a dominating first 10 minutes.

Zydrunas Ilgauskas scored 20 points to lead Cleveland.

The Cavaliers went to a pressure defense in the third quarter, and steals by Dajuan Wagner and Ricky Davis sparked a 7-0 run that rallied Cleveland within 78-68.

Wallace then scored four straight points and the Trail

Blazers closed the quarter with a 13-4 run.

### Tressel chosen as coach of the year

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Jim Tressel, coach of national champion Ohio State, has been chosen by his peers as Ohio college football coach of the year for the seventh time.

The Columbus Dispatch, which has sponsored the award since 1952, announced results of the balloting yesterday.

Tressel also won the award in 1989, 1990, 1991, 1994, 1997 and 1999 while at Youngstown State. He won Division I-AA national titles there in 1991, 1993, 1994 and 1997.

Finishing second in the balloting was another national champion, Larry Kehres, who won his seventh Division III title and third in a row at Mount Union. Kehres had been chosen as the state's top coach in the previous two seasons and is a five-time winner of the honor.

Tressel received 59 points in the balloting and 17 first-place votes. Kehres had 33 points and two first-place votes. Urban Meyer of Bowling Green was third with 15 points and two votes for first.

Other first-place votes went to Joe Perella of Case Western Reserve and John Snell of Baldwin-Wallace.

### Spartans defeat No. 13 Illinois, 68-65

EAST LANSING, Mich. — The Michigan State Spartans sent a reminder to anyone who might have forgotten about them.

Paul Davis scored a career-high 15 points and Alan Anderson also had 15 as the Spartans rallied from a big first-half deficit to beat No. 13 Illinois 68-65 yesterday.

Michigan State (12-8, 4-4 Big Ten) has won two straight — both against ranked teams — after losing six of eight in its worst slump since 1996-97. Tom Izzo's second season as coach.

## Akron defeats Eastern Mich.

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Bowling Green.

Mike Mancel had 20 points and seven rebounds while Tony Bowne scored 18 points and hit four 3-pointers for Central Michigan (13-5, 6-3).

John Reimold led Bowling Green (10-8, 6-4) with 24 points while Kevin Netter scored 16.

The Chippewas led by 14 points at halftime and went ahead by as many as 31 in the second half.

Bowling Green has lost four of its last six conference games after starting 4-0.

P.J. Smith scored 24 points and Marcus Smallwood added 15 points and nine rebounds for Northern Illinois as the Huskies beat Ball State.

Northern Illinois (10-9, 6-3) led 42-23 at halftime and shot 61 percent in the first half. Jay Bates had 13 points on 6 of 6 shooting for the Huskies, who forced 19 Ball State turnovers.

Matt McCollom and Chris

Williams had 17 points each to lead Ball State (8-11, 3-6).

John Hollingsworth scored 33 points as Akron beat Eastern Michigan.

The Zips (9-9, 4-5) took a 13-4 lead just four minutes into the game. After the Eagles (8-9, 2-6) pulled to 17-14, the Zips went on an 8-0 run to take a 25-14 lead and never let the lead drop below five.

Hollingsworth shot 11 of 12 from the field and 11 of 13 on free throws. Derrick Tarver had 23 points for Akron and Darryl Peterson scored 16.

Ryan Prillman led the Eagles with 23 points and 10 rebounds, Michael Ross had 14 points.

Turner Battle missed a 3-pointer with two seconds to play as Miami avoided an upset and hung on to beat Buffalo 57-55.

Juby Johnson scored 21 points to lead the RedHawks (9-9, 7-2).

Battle led Buffalo with 13 points (3-14, 0-8) and Mark Bortz had 11. Danny Horace had 16 points for the RedHawks.

## Youngblood makes free throw; seals NIU victory

WOMEN'S BBALL, FROM PAGE 7

Youngblood worked her way into the lane for a rebound and eventual second-chance points to tie the game at 72.

"I don't know, I think it's just instinct, I'm gonna get the ball and shoot it," Youngblood said. "With time winding down like that, I'm not going to pass out."

Even bigger than the put-back was the free throw she made seconds later to seal up the Northern Illinois victory.

"Go-to players find ways to make plays, and Jennifer Youngblood got the big offensive rebound and put-back to win the game," Coach Miller said. "That's what your go-to players do, and that just signifies such a great college game; watching both team's best players making plays down the stretch."

## BG has strong performance

GREAT PLAYERS, FROM PAGE 7

defending her.

"I think they did very well," Youngblood said. "Look at how close the game was."

She scored 18 points and had 12 rebounds the last time the two teams played, Northern Illinois won that game, 78-58, on January 11th at Northern Illinois. Youngblood is averaging 14.7 points and 8.3 rebounds a game.

She gave credit to her teammates, particularly Joi Scott, who led the Huskies with 23 points and 11 rebounds.

"Joi did a tremendous job, and I think sometimes that takes the

pressure off a lot of us," Youngblood said. "She helped out a lot, and everybody else did their part."

It was the play at the end of the game, however, that improved Northern Illinois to 5-3 and dropped BG to 2-5 in the Mid American Conference.

Miller said that the game had strong performances from several players.

"Go-to players stepped up for both teams down the stretch, it was a great college atmosphere," Miller said. "Jennifer Youngblood got the offensive rebound put-back to win the game, and that's what your go-to players do."

Youngblood got the shot to fall after grabbing two offensive rebounds after misses. She said her attempts to score at the end had little to do with the time running down.

"It's my instinct," Youngblood said. "If I get the ball, I'm going to shoot it. Even if it wasn't last second, I probably still would have put it back up."

Huskies head coach Carol Hammerle said she was pleased with her team not giving up during the play. "I just thought it was refuse to lose," Hammerle said. "It was one of those things where you're persistent and work hard at it. We were fortunate."

## Reimold, Netter lead Falcons

MEN'S BBALL, FROM PAGE 7

"Tony shot well, extremely well," Kaman said. "Coach is real proud of him. It's a great thing when he makes those shots; it helps our team, it helps the energy. He got a lot of good looks at the basket, and he's capable of scoring like that."

Bowne said he just converted the good looks he got.

"We want to make those outside shots, because if we don't, we're not going to be able to get Chris the looks he wants inside," he said. "They played off me a little bit, and I just hit open shots."

Reimold once again led the Falcons with 24, while Netter added 16.

Perhaps the main difference in the game was shooting, as Central was able to get easy looks at the basket and shot 53.4 percent for the game. The Falcons, in the meantime, had plenty of good looks in the first half and missed them. They were 0-6 from beyond the three-point arc in the first half, and finished 4-18. They shot 40.6 percent overall.

"That's a tribute to our pressure defense," Kaman said. "We like to get up in the offense, and not allow the next receiver to get the ball. The next option has to come all the way back to get the ball. We wanted to go at Mattox and make other guys dribble the ball up the court, because we thought he was the focal point of

their offense."

Kaman said that the Chippewas' goal was to wear the visitors out.

"It was a thing about making them tired," Kaman said. "We wanted to run and make them tired, because we knew a lot of those guys would play the whole game."

Dakich sang Kaman's praises after the game.

"Kaman's a really good player, and he's one of the few guys in the country who understands what he is as a big guy," he said. "He gets down on the block, and works like crazy, and they throw it to him. Our strategy was to bother him from different spots, but once Kevin got his first foul, we had to change some things."



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	Feb. 10-16	Mutually Exclusive or Inextricably Linked? Women and Leadership	Dr. Ellen Broido, College Student Personnel Program
	Feb. 17-23	Open Discussion	
	Feb. 24-Mar. 2	Leadership, Body Piercing, and Tattoos: The Art Of Self Expression	Dr. Joe Austin, Popular Culture
	Mar. 3-9	Open Discussion	
	Mar. 17-23	Complex Issues, Complex Times: Leadership Challenges at BGSU	Drs. Ed Whipple, John Folkins, & Chris Dalton, BGSU Vice Presidents
	Mar. 24-30	Empowerment & Leadership for Disenfranchised Communities	Ms. Kristine Hoover, Instructor, Dept. of Management



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# Columbia investigation continues

COLUMBIA, FROM PAGE 1

The effort to reconstruct what is left of Columbia into a rough outline of the shuttle will be tedious and painstaking.

When a shuttle piece was located this weekend, searchers left it in place until a precise global position satellite reading could be taken. Each shuttle part is numbered; NASA officials say experts hope to trace the falling path of each recovered piece and learn when in the fiery re-entry it came off of the spacecraft.

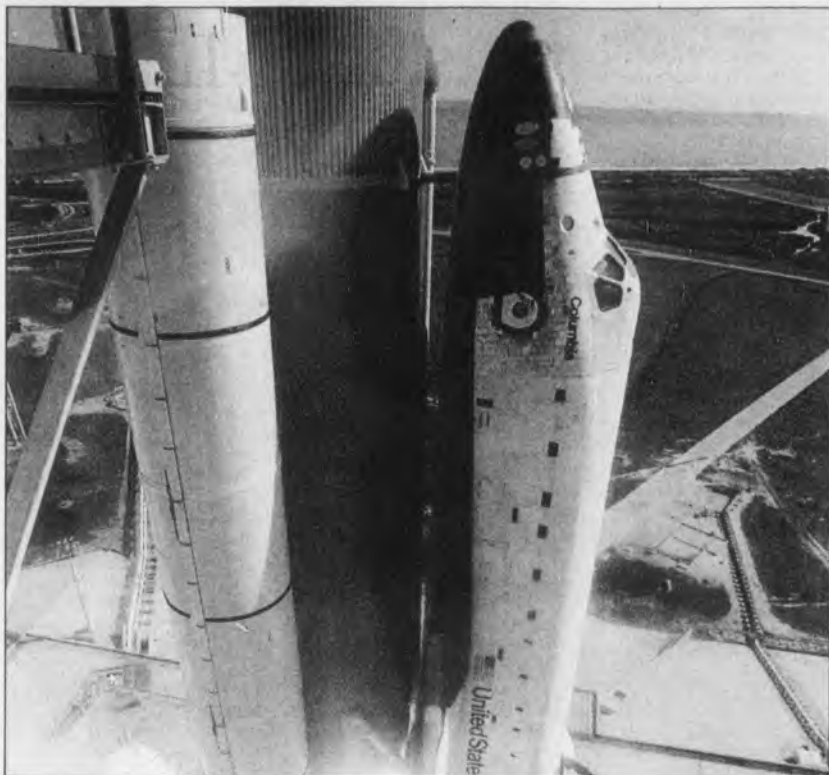
The goal is to establish a sequence of how parts were ripped off Columbia as it endured the intense heat and pressure of the high-speed re-entry into the atmosphere.

At least 20 engineers from United Space Alliance, a key NASA contractor for the shuttle program, were dispatched to Barksdale for what is expected to be a round-the-clock investigation.

Other experts, including metallurgists and forensic medicine specialists, are expected to join the investigation. Their focus will be on a microscopic examination of debris and remains that could elicit clues such as how hot the metal became, how it twisted and which parts flew off first.

In addition to NASA's investigation, O'Keefe named an independent panel to be headed by retired Navy admiral Harold W. Gehman Jr., who previously helped investigate the 2000 terrorist attack on the USS Cole.

Gehman's panel will also sift through the Columbia wreckage, and come to its own conclusions about what happened. O'Keefe described Gehman as "well-versed in understanding exactly



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**SHUTTLE LIFTOFF:** The space shuttle Columbia, is shown during liftoff Jan. 16, 2003 from the Kennedy Space Center in Cape Canaveral, Fla. Columbia broke apart in flames 200,000 feet over Texas on Saturday killing all seven astronauts just minutes before they were to land in Florida.

how to look about the forensics in these cases and coming up with the causal effects of what could occur."

Joining Gehman on the commission are four other military officers and two federal aviation safety officials.

Officials used horses and four-

wheel-drive vehicles to find and recover the shuttle pieces. Divers were being called in to search the floor of Toledo Bend Reservoir, on the Texas-Louisiana border, for a car-sized piece seen slamming into the water.

Some body parts from the seven-member astronaut crew

have been recovered and are being sent to a military morgue in Dover, Del.

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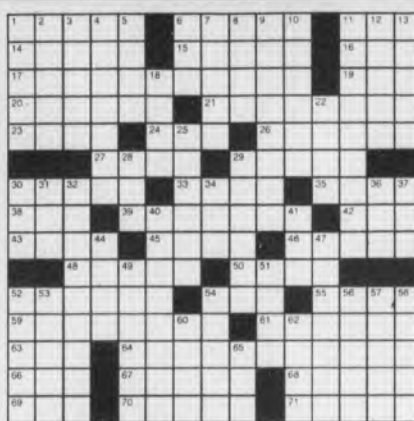
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